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### House Appropriations Request FY 2011

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**Project Name:** Sustainable Employment Through Non-Credit Certification

**Recipient:** Agricultural and Technical University

**Recipient Address:** 1601 E. Market Street

**Recipient City:** Greensboro

**Recipient State:** NC

**Recipient Zip:** 27411

**Amount of Request:** \$570,000

**Explanation of the request (must include purpose and why it is a valuable use of taxpayer funds):**

NCA&TSU plans to use the requested funds to provide a non-credit training program for laid off and displaced workers in the state. NC is experiencing job losses in the traditional manufacturing industry and jobs that require minimum education and training are rapidly disappearing. The rural communities are badly affected because of the losses.

One impediment to solving this problem is that non-credit job training and related services are not provided by universities. Further, there are no funds designated for us to help provide non-credit workforce training program. Another impediment is that these workers do not have the means to acquire further training and with cut backs their employers do not have funds for training.

North Carolina A&T State University, through its School of Technology, is well-positioned to solve these aforementioned problems. First, we have active network of extension services in the state. Second, NC A&T has developed a strong relationship with local community colleges. Therefore, if funded, we have the ability to mobilize a team that will provide training in the various rural communities that are affected by job losses.

*In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.*

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